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1. THERE FOLLOWS AS PROMISED IN STATE 144927, A SUGGESTED

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DRAFT OF THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AND ANNEX WHICH WILL BE DISCUSSED AT THE UPCOMING CCMS SOLAR HEATING AND COOLING MEETING IN ODEILLO, FRANCE, OCT. 1-4. EMBASSIES ARE REQUESTED TO TRANSMIT THIS DRAFT TO HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO WHOM INVITATION TO ATTEND ODEILLO MEETING HAS ALREADY BEEN TRANSMITTED. EMBASSIES SHOULD STRESS THAT THIS DRAFT IS INTENDED ONLY TO FOCUS ATTENTION ON THE GENERAL TYPE OF MOU WHICH THE US HOPES TO SEE RESULTING FROM MEETING.

2. FOR PARIS, COPENHAGEN. PLEASE REQUEST AND TRANSMIT COMMENTS ON DRAFT MOU AND ANNEX FROM FRENCH AND DANISH CO-PILOT DIRECTORS OF CCMS PILOT STUDY.

3. DRAFT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING CONCERNING COOPERATION IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF SOLAR HEATING AND COOLING SYSTEMS FOR BUILDINGS.

A. THIS MULTILATERAL MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ARISES OUT OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF SOLAR HEATING AND COOLING SYSTEMS FOR BUILDINGS HELD

AT ODEILLO, FRANCE, OCTOBER 1-4, 1974. THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING IS CONCLUDED BETWEEN THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES:

1. THE CENTER FOR SCIENTIFIC STUDIES (CNRS) OF FRANCE
2. DENMARK
3. ...
4. ...
5. ...
6. THE COMMONWEALTH SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH ORGANIZATION (CSIRO) OF AUSTRALIA
7. THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION (NSF) OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
8. OTHERS...

B. THE AIM OF THIS MEMORANDUM IS TO ENCOURAGE THE WIDE-SPREAD APPLICATION OF COST-EFFECTIVE AND PRACTICAL SOLAR ENERGY FOR HEATING AND COOLING OF RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL, AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS BY DEVELOPING AGREED STANDARDS FOR REPORTING PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS, EXCHANGES OF INFORMATION, AND DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS.

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WHILE INFORMATION ON THE PERFORMANCE OF THE MAJOR SUBSYSTEMS WILL BE INCLUDED, EMPHASIS WILL BE GIVEN TO SYSTEM DEMONSTRATIONS OF THE EFFECTIVENESS OF SOLAR ENERGY HEATING AND COOLING OF BUILDINGS, IN ORDER TO ALLOW EACH COUNTRY TO ARRIVE AT ITS OWN CONCLUSIONS AS TO WHICH SYSTEM WOULD BE MOST SUITABLE FOR ITS UNIQUE CLIMATOLOGICAL AND SOCIETAL CONDITIONS.

C. THE SIGNATORIES TO THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WILL COOPERATE FREELY WITH EACH OTHER AND WITH OTHER COUNTRIES AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS WITH SIMILAR GOALS AND PROGRAMS SO AS TO ENSURE THAT THE TOTAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE INTERNATIONALLY FOR DEVELOPING SOLAR ENERGY FOR THE HEATING AND COOLING OF BUILDINGS ARE USED TO THE BEST ADVANTAGE.

D. THERE ARE, IN THE COUNTRIES OF THE SIGNATORIES TO THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING, GOVERNMENTAL AND/OR INDUSTRIALLY-SPONSORED PROGRAMS WHICH COLLECTIVELY FORM A BROAD-BASED ATTACK ON THE CHALLENGING ENERGY PROBLEMS FACING OUR SOCIETIES. BELIEVING THAT INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF SOLAR ENERGY FOR THE HEATING AND COOLING OF BUILDINGS WILL PROVE FRUITFUL FOR ALL SIGNATORIES, THE SIGNATORIES WILL UNDERTAKE A COMPREHENSIVE EXCHANGE OF KNOWLEDGE GAINED ABOUT THE DESIGN, THE TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS, AND THE PERFORMANCE OF SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEMS DEVELOPED IN THE COURSE OF CONDUCTING AND MONITORING

PROJECTS ON SOLAR HEATING AND COOLING OF BUILDINGS, INsofar AS SUCH INFORMATION IS AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE SIGNATORIES FOR PUBLICATION. SUCH INFORMATION SHALL BE PROVIDED IN AS TIMELY AND DETAILED A MANNER AS IS POSSIBLE UNDER THEIR RESPECTIVE STATUTES. ADDITIONALLY, THE SIGNATORIES WILL PARTICIPATE IN TECHNICAL SYMPOSIA, EXPECTED TO BE HELD AT LEAST ANNUALLY, FOR THE REVIEW OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS, DISCUSSIONS, AND EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION AND IDEAS.

E. IT IS CONTEMPLATED THAT A NUMBER OF DETAILED PROCEDURES WILL BE DEVELOPED AND WILL BE INCORPORATED IN THE PRESENT UNDERSTANDING AS TECHNICAL ANNEXES TO THIS MEMO-

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RANDOM. WHEN TWO OR MORE PARTIES TO THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WISH TO DEVELOP MORE SPECIFIC RELATIONSHIPS ON SUBPROGRAMS OR PROJECTS WITHIN THE FIELDS OF THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING, DETAILS OF ANY AGREEMENT OR ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN THEM MAY BE ANNEXED TO THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING.

----- POSSIBLE TOPICS FOR ANNEX TO THE
----- MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
----- ON SOLAR HEATING AND
----- COOLING OF BUILDINGS (SHCB)

A. SPECIFICATION OF STANDARDIZED FORMAT TO BE USED TO SUBMIT INFORMATION ON THE PERFORMANCE CHARACTERIS-

TICS OF SHCB SYSTEM PROJECTS AND DEMONSTRATIONS.

B. INSTITUTING QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORTS BEGINNING JANUARY 1975 CONTAINING SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS. THESE COULD INCLUDE:

1. PLANNING SCHEDULES, PROGRESS IN MEETING SCHEDULES,
 - KEY DECISIONS AFFECTING PROGRAM OBJECTIVES AND
 - SUCH OTHER ELEMENTS AS NORMALLY CONSTITUTE A
 - MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM.
- 2. NEW SUBSYSTEM OR SYSTEM PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS AND CHANGES THERETO.
3. ACTUAL PERFORMANCE DATA (IN MORE DETAIL
 - THAN THAT PRESENTED IN STANDARDIZED REPORT FORMAT)
 - OF PROTOTYPE AND SUBSYSTEMS AS SHOWN BY ENGINEERING TESTS.
4. INFORMATION RESULTING FROM PARTICIPATION BY TECHNICAL STAFF OF SIGNATORIES IN OBSERVING TESTS OF PROTOTYPES OR SUBSYSTEMS.

C. WHERE PRACTICAL, AND BY MUTUAL CONSENT, EXCHANGE OF PRELIMINARY DESIGN DATA FOR PROTOTYPE SUBSYSTEMS AND COMPONENTS. DISPOSITION OF SUCH DATA SHALL BE MADE BY MUTUAL CONSENT OF BOTH GOVERNMENTS. IN ADDITION,

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TION, WHERE PRACTICAL, AND BY MUTUAL CONSENT, COMPONENTS AND SUBSYSTEMS AND, IF POSSIBLE, COMPLETE SUBSYSTEM COMPONENTS WILL BE EXCHANGED FOR EXAMINATION AND TESTING BY PARTICIPANTS. ALSO AGREEMENT BY PARTICIPANTS TO EXCHANGE INFORMATION IN THE ABOVE CATEGORIES IN AS TIMELY A MANNER AS POSSIBLE TO ENSURE THAT THE SOLAR ENERGY HEATING AND COOLING OF BUILDINGS PROGRAMS IN THE RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES KEEP PACE WITH EACH OTHER.

D. SPECIFY DETAILS OF TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE, POSSIBLY ALONG THE FOLLOWING LINES:

"1. ANY INFORMATION MADE AVAILABLE SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE SIMULTANEOUSLY TO ALL PARTIES TO THE MOU BY DIRECT TRANSMITTAL TO A CONTACT TO BE NAMED FOR EACH PARTY.

2. TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGED AS A RESULT OF ANY SIMILAR AGREEMENT CONCLUDED BETWEEN A PARTY TO THE MOU AND OTHER COUNTRIES, NOT A PARTY TO

THE MOU, SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL PARTIES.

3. INFORMATION EXCHANGED SHALL INCLUDE (TO THE EXTENT THAT THE LAWS OF THE RESPECTIVE PARTIES ALLOW), BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO:

A. GENERAL INFORMATION OF EACH PARTY'S ON-GOING SHCB PROGRAMS, INCLUDING THEIR OBJECTIVES, FUNDING LEVELS, ETC.

B. INTERIM REPORTS ON SHCB PROGRESS. EACH MEMBER COUNTRY WILL DEVELOP, INsofar AS POSSIBLE, A FORMALIZED PROGRESS REPORTING SYSTEM ON ALL ON-GOING GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED PROGRAMS.

C. FINAL PROJECT REPORTS WHICH INCLUDE ALL TEST DATA AS WELL AS TEST PROCEDURE DESCRIPTION.

D. RESULTS OF BILATERAL OR MULTILATERAL COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN AS PART OF THE UNCLASSIFIED

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MOU.

E. REPORTS ISSUED AS A RESULT OF TECHNICAL SYMPOSIA. IN THIS REGARD, THE REPORT ON THE ANNUAL SHCB CONFERENCE WILL CONSTITUTE THE ANNUAL REPORT TO THE CCMS ON THE PROGRESS MADE IN SHCB.

F. OTHER TECHNICAL INFORMATION DEEMED OF INTEREST TO THE PARTIES.

4. PROPRIETARY INFORMATION SHALL BE IDENTIFIED AS SUCH, AND SHALL NOT BE RELEASED TO ANY PERSON UNLESS THE PARTY PROVIDING THE INFORMATION GIVES AUTHORITY FOR SUCH RELEASE.

5. EACH PARTY IS ONLY OBLIGED TO PROVIDE INFORMATION IN THE LANGUAGE NATIVE TO THAT PARTICULAR COUNTRY." KISSINGER UNQUOTE

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